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THERMAL INSULATING SHEET

METAL PANEL WITH

PHOTOVOLTAIC ELEMENT FOR

ROOF COVERING OR WALL

CLADDING

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PETITION TO THE COMMISSIONER UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.181 TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 I hereby certify that these 13 pages are being deposited by facsimile this date with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at 703.872.9306

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June 14, 2004

Sir:

This is a Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.181 to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment of the above-identified patent application. The facts supporting this petition are as follows. An Office Action in connection with the above-identified patent application was mailed by the Patent and Trademark Office on October 6, 2003. The undersigned timely mailed an Amendment to the PTO on January 8, 2004, a copy of which is attached hereto. The Amendment was received by the PTO on January 12, 2004, as indicated by

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the date on the copy of the stamped postcard attached hereto. However, a Notice of Abandonment was mailed by the Patent and Trademark Office on June 4, 2004, for "Applicants' failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office Action mailed on October 6, 2003." Since the undersigned timely filed a response to the Office Action of October 6, 2003, it is respectfully requested that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn for the reasons set forth above.

It is believed that no fee is required for this petition. However, if any fee is necessary in connection with this Petition, please deduct such fee from Deposit Account No. 16-2500 of the undersigned.

> Respectfully submitted PROSKAUER ROSE LLP Attorney for Applicants

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Attachment: Copy of the Amendment filed on January 8, 2004 with a petition for extension of time; copy of stamped self-addressed post card

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